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APPOINTMENTS

- 2016- Lecturer, Department of Population Health and Disease Prevention, Program in Public Health, Susan and Henry Samueli College of Health Sciences, University of California, Irvine, Irvine, CA
- 2013-2016 Postdoctoral Fellow in Global HIV/AIDS Prevention Research, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.

EDUCATION

- 2013 PhD, Department of Anthropology, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA.
Dissertation: *Risky Subjectivity: The Effects of Cultural Discourses of Addiction on HIV+ Men Who Have Sex with Men and Use Crystal Meth in San Diego*
- 2007 MA, Department of Anthropology, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA.
Master's Thesis: *Hybridity as Cultural Capital on the US/Mexican Border*
- 2005 MFA, Department of Creative Writing, New School University, New York, NY.
Master's Thesis: *Bad Things Happen to Bad People: Stories.*
- 1996 AB, Department of Social Anthropology, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA.

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed articles:

- Lea, Charles H., Theodore K. Gideonse, and Nina T. Harawa. 2018. "An Examination of Consensual Sex in a Men's Jail." *International Journal of Prisoner Health*. doi: 10.1108/IJPH-08-2016-0047
- Gideonse, Theodore K. 2016. "Framing Samuel See: The Discursive Detritus of the Moral Panic over the 'Double Epidemic' of Methamphetamines and HIV among Gay Men." *International Journal of Drug Policy*. 28:98-105. doi: 10.1016/j.drugpo.2015.10.010
- Gideonse, Theodore K. 2015. "Pride, Shame, and the Trouble with Trying to Be Normal." *Ethos* 43(4):332-52. doi: 10.1111/etho.12100
- Gideonse, Theodore K. 2015. "Survival Tactics and Strategies of Meth-Using HIV+ Men Who Have Sex with Men in San Diego." *PLoS ONE* 10(9):e0139239. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0139239

Book chapters:

- Gideonse, Theodore K. 2017. "Methamphetamine Addiction, HIV-Infection, and Gay Men: Stigma and Suffering" in *Foundations of BioSocial Health: Stigma & Illness*

Interactions, edited by S. Lerman, B. Ostrach, and M. Singer. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

Academic book reviews:

Gideonse, Theodore K. 2016. "Cruel Attachments: The Ritual Rehab of Child Molesters in Germany by John Borneman and Hound Pound Narrative: Sexual Offender Habilitation and the Anthropology of Therapeutic Intervention by James B. Waldram." *Ethos* 44(4):e18-e22.

Gideonse, Theodore K. 2010. "The Anthropology of AIDS: A Global Perspective by Patricia Whelehan, with Contributions by Thomas Budd." *Medical Anthropology Quarterly* 24(1):133–35.

Encyclopedia entries:

Gideonse, Theodore K. 2016. "Bear Culture" in *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Gender and Sexuality Studies*, edited by N. Naples, R. C. Hoogland, M. Wickramasinghe, and W. C. A. Wong. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.

Edited volumes:

Gideonse, Ted and Robert Williams, eds. 2006. *From Boys To Men: Gay Men Write About Growing Up*. New York, NY: Carroll & Graf.

***Comprehensive list of popular press articles available upon request**

HONORS AND AWARDS

2012 Bailey Fellowship, University of California, San Diego.
2009-2010 Spiro Fellowship, University of California, San Diego.
2005-2006 Regent's Fellowship, University of California, San Diego.
1992-1993 National Merit Scholar, Harvard University.

RESEARCH SUPPORT

Evaluating Evidence-Based Quality Improvement of Comprehensive Women's Health Care in Low-Performing VA Facilities. Yano/Hamilton (PIs)
Department of Veteran Affairs, Women's Health Services, 2016-2018
Role: Consulting Qualitative Methods Expert

Postdoctoral Training in Global HIV/AIDS Prevention Research. Coates (PI)
NIH grant no. 5T32MH080634, 2013-2016
Prepares physician, social, behavioral, and professional scientists for academic research careers focused on understanding and preventing HIV disease globally. Mentored by Thomas Coates, PhD.
Role: Postdoctoral Trainee.

Center for HIV, Identification, Prevention and Treatment Services Pilot Program. Rotheram (PI)
NIH grant no. P30MH058107, 2014-2015

The goal of the pilot program is to develop innovative research consistent with/or related to the Center priorities of eliminating HIV and to seed funding for larger research projects or intervention programs.

Pilot Project: *Risk behaviors of drug offending HIV+ men who have sex with men.*

Awarded: \$9535.00

Role: Pilot Investigator

UCLA HIV/AIDS, Substance Abuse, and Trauma Training Program. Wyatt (PI)

NIH grant no. 5R25DA035692-02, 2014-2016

Provides multi-disciplinary, state-of-the-art training to better equip postdoctoral fellows and early career investigators to submit and receive NIMH grant funding. Mentored by Alison Hamilton, PhD.

Pilot Project: *Risk behaviors of drug offending HIV+ men who have sex with men.*

Awarded: \$9000.00.

Role: Scholar.

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND POSTERS

2016 Make Good Choices: Self-Help in the Neoliberal Jail. 115th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Minneapolis, MN, November 27. Abstract 57413.

2014 The Effects of Doing Good in the Abu Ghraib of Los Angeles. 113th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC, December 3. Abstract 43275.

Survival Tactics and Strategies of Meth-using HIV+ Men Who Have Sex with Men in San Diego. Poster. Department of Medicine Research Day, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, October 11.

2013 The Tweaker as Folk Devil. Paper. 112th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL, November 23. Abstract 32047.

Narrating the Psychopathology of Meth Addiction. Paper. 8th Biennial Meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology, San Diego, CA, April 5.

2012 Moral Borders and Barriers to Care: Survival Strategies of HIV+ MSM Who Use Meth in San Diego. Paper. 111th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA, November 18. Abstract 20298.

2011 Meth and Moral Communities in San Diego. Paper. 110th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Montreal, QC, November 16. Abstract 3278.

Shame and Pride and Addiction and Recovery under American Neoliberalism. Paper. 7th Biennial Meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology, Santa Monica, CA, April 1.

- 2010 “But are you going to do meth, too?” Empathy, Ethics, and Epiphanies in Insider Ethnography. Paper. 109th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA, November 19. Abstract 3-0990.
- 2008 “If you don't like the fact that I am POZ, hold on and I'll change profiles”: Identifying as HIV+ on the Internet in San Diego. Paper. 107th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA, November 23. Abstract 4-056.
- 2007 “Yes, I'm a practicing homosexual. And practice makes perfect!”: imagining, narrating, and constructing gay male identity. Paper. 6th Biennial Meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology, Manhattan Beach, CA, March 19.

INVITED AND CAMPUS TALKS

- 2016 Insights about the cycle of addiction, incarceration, and poverty among drug-using men who have sex with men in Southern California. Department of Medicine, Charles R. Drew University, April 15, 2016.
- 2016 Insights about the cycle of addiction, incarceration, and poverty among drug-using men who have sex with men in Southern California. Center for HIV Identification, Prevention and Treatment Services, Community Advisory Board Meeting, University of California, Los Angeles, March 18.
- 2016 Insights about the cycle of addiction, incarceration, and poverty among drug-using men who have sex with men in Southern California. Behavioral Sciences Department, College of Medicine, University of Kentucky, February 19.
- 2015 HIV/AIDS in America and the National HIV/AIDS Strategy. African American HIV University, Black AIDS Institute, University of California, Los Angeles, August 17.
- 2014 HIV/AIDS in America and the National HIV/AIDS Strategy. African American HIV University, Black AIDS Institute, University of California, Los Angeles, September 4.
- 2013 Cultural Discourse of Addiction and HIV. Communication, Health & Science Symposium, Department of Communication Studies, Clemson University, October 10.
- 2013 HIV/AIDS in America and the National HIV/AIDS Strategy. African American HIV University, Black AIDS Institute, University of California, Los Angeles, August 22.
- 2010 “But are you going to do meth, too?” Empathy, Ethics, and Epiphanies in Insider Ethnography. UCSD-UCLA Conference and Workshop Series on Culture and Mind, University of California, San Diego, October 22, 2010.
- 2009 “If you don't like the fact that I am POZ, hold on and I'll change profiles”: Identifying as HIV+ on the Internet in San Diego. Dialogues in Sexuality Studies, University of California, San Diego, February 23, 2009.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

- 2018- Reviewer, *International Journal of Prison Health*
- 2017- Faculty adviser, Orange County Needle Exchange Program (Undergraduate Division), University of California, Irvine
- 2017- Member, Sexual Health Working Group and Evaluation Workgroup, Healthy Campus Initiative, University of California, Irvine
- 2016-2017 Faculty adviser, Global Health Research, Education and Translation Program (Undergraduate Division), University of California, Irvine
- 2016- Reviewer, *International Journal of Drug Policy*
- 2015- Reviewer, *Ethos*
- 2015- Reviewer, *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*
- 2014- Reviewer, *Cultural Anthropology*
- 2011-2016 Communications co-editor, Society for Psychological Anthropology
- 2009 Undergraduate research paper evaluator, Roosevelt College, University of California, San Diego
- 2007-2013 Web editor, Association for Queer Anthropology
- 2007 Graduate student representation, Committee on Preparatory Education, University of California, San Diego
- 2006-2012 Student representative, Association for Queer Anthropology

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2011- Film critic, *San Diego LGBT Weekly*, San Diego, CA
- 2002-2005 Literary agent and foreign rights manager, Ann Rittenberg Literary Agency, New York, NY
- 2001 US Researcher, Guinness World Records, New York, NY
- 1997-1999 Reporter-researcher, *Newsweek*, New York, NY

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Anthropological Association (2005 – present)

American Psychological Association (2009 – present)
American Public Health Association (2013 – present)
Society for Medical Anthropology (2007 – present)
Society for Psychological Anthropology (2006 – present)
AIDS and Anthropology Research Group (2007 – present)
Association for Queer Anthropology (2005 – present)
Gay and Lesbian Entertainment Critics Association (2013 – present)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Family Health Centers (2010-2013; HIV testing counselor, clean syringe exchange worker)
So Say We All (2009-2013; board of directors, treasurer, producer)

REFERENCES

THOMAS J. COATES, PhD
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